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In response to the non-final Office Action dated December 12, 2005, please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows.

1. **Amendments to the Claims** are provided in that Listing of the Claims at page 2 of this paper.
2. **Remarks** are provided at page 6 of this paper.